

US 301 / Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan – Final Recommendations April 25, 2018

The following pages represent the final recommendations resulting from a comprehensive transportation study of the US 301/Route 207 corridor from US Route 1 in the Carmel Church area to the Potomac River at the Governor Harry Nice Memorial Bridge. A map key can be found on the next two pages.

More information about the Arterial Preservation Program can be found at:

http://www.virginiadot.org/programs/vdot_arterial_preservation_program.asp

A final study report is being developed and will be posted to the project webpage by the end of May 2018.

http://www.virginiadot.org/projects/fredericksburg/route_301_and_route_207_corridor_study.asp

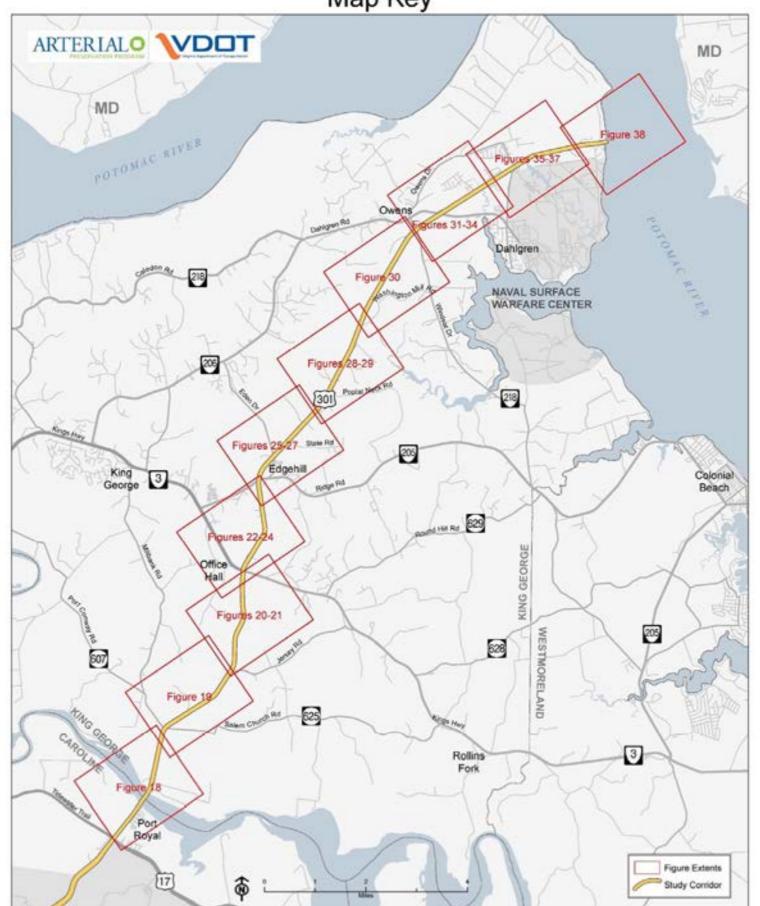


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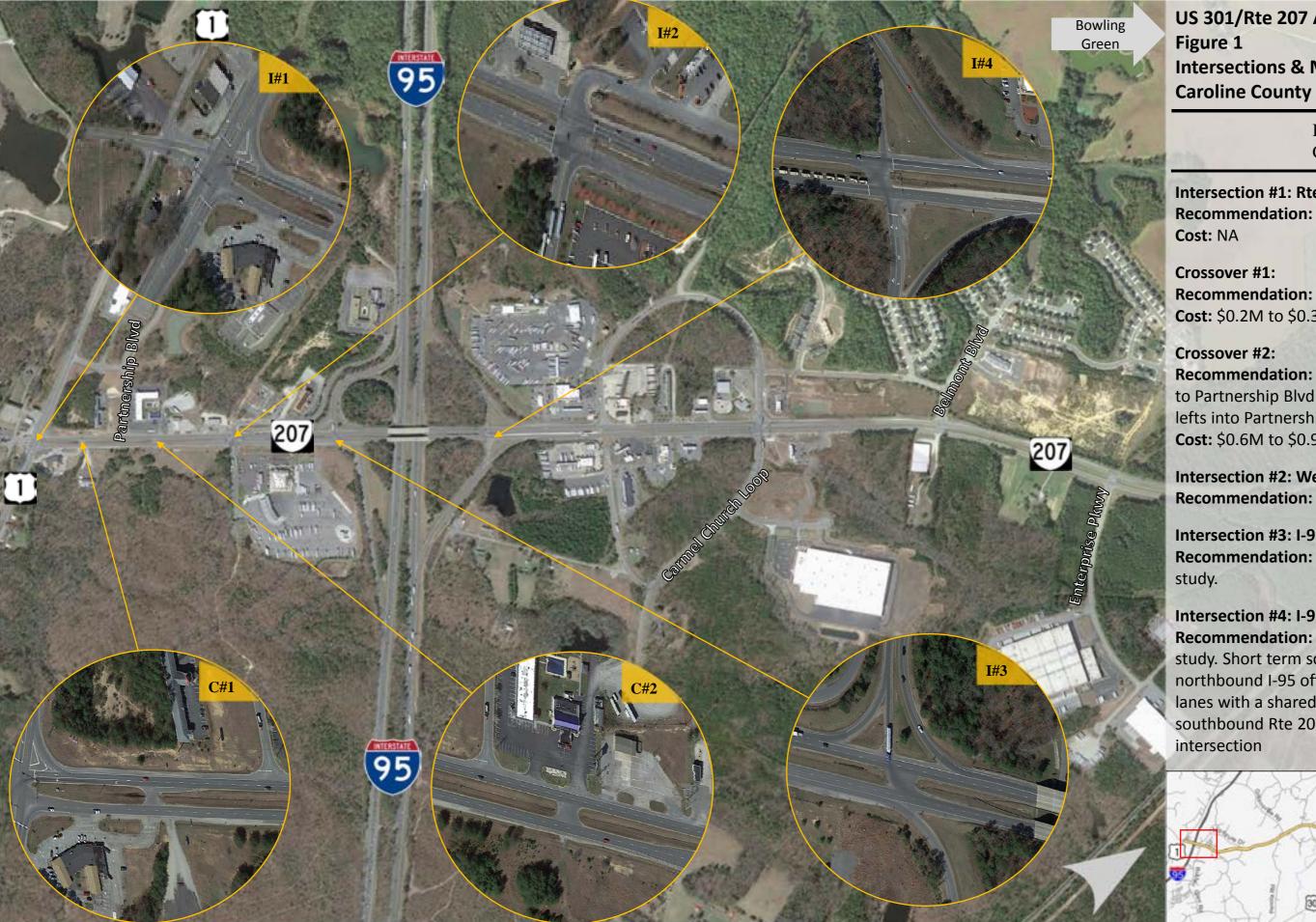


Map Key









US 301/Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan Figure 1 **Intersections & Median Crossovers**

> I## - Intersection # C## - Crossover #

Intersection #1: Rte 1 with Rte 207

Recommendation: None

Crossover #1:

Recommendation: Remove crossover

Cost: \$0.2M to \$0.3M

Crossover #2:

Recommendation: Close existing crossover and relocate to Partnership Blvd as directional crossover allow only lefts into Partnership Blvd from Rte 207 northbound

Cost: \$0.6M to \$0.9M

Intersection #2: Welcome Way Dr with Rte 207

Recommendation: None

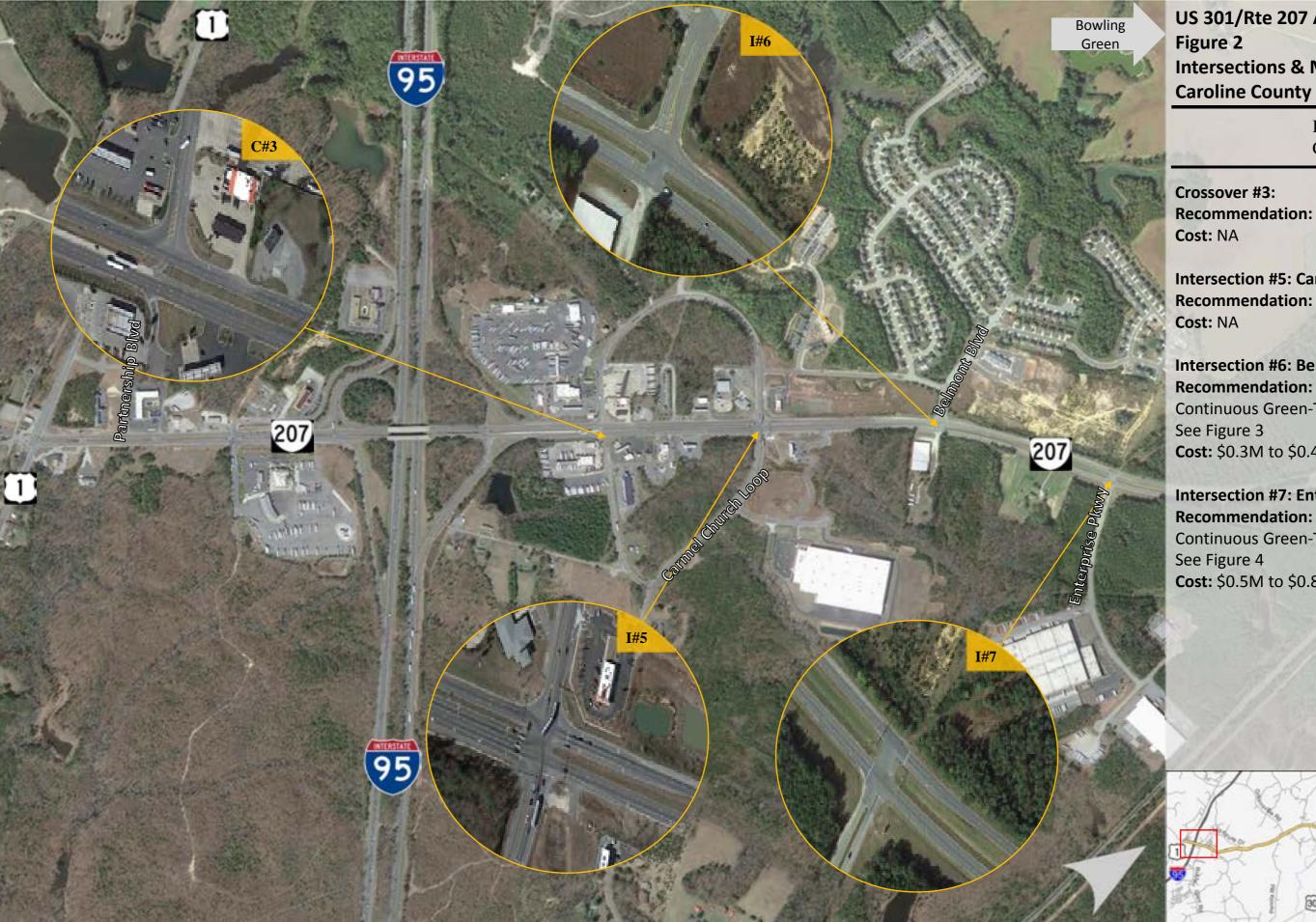
Intersection #3: I-95 Ramp with Rte 207

Recommendation: I-95 Interchange requires further

Intersection #4: I-95 Ramp with Rte 207

Recommendation: I-95 Interchange requires further study. Short term solutions include modifying the northbound I-95 off ramp to include dedicated left turn lanes with a shared right turn. As well, extending the southbound Rte 207 right-turn lane through the NB ramp intersection





US 301/Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan Figure 2 **Intersections & Median Crossovers**

> I## - Intersection # C## - Crossover #

Crossover #3:

Recommendation: None

Intersection #5: Carmel Church Loop with Rte 207

Recommendation: None

Intersection #6: Belmont Blvd with Rte 207 **Recommendation:** Reconfigure intersection to Continuous Green-T to accommodate Belmont Blvd -

See Figure 3

Cost: \$0.3M to \$0.4M

Intersection #7: Enterprise Pkwy with Rte 207 **Recommendation:** Reconfigure intersection to

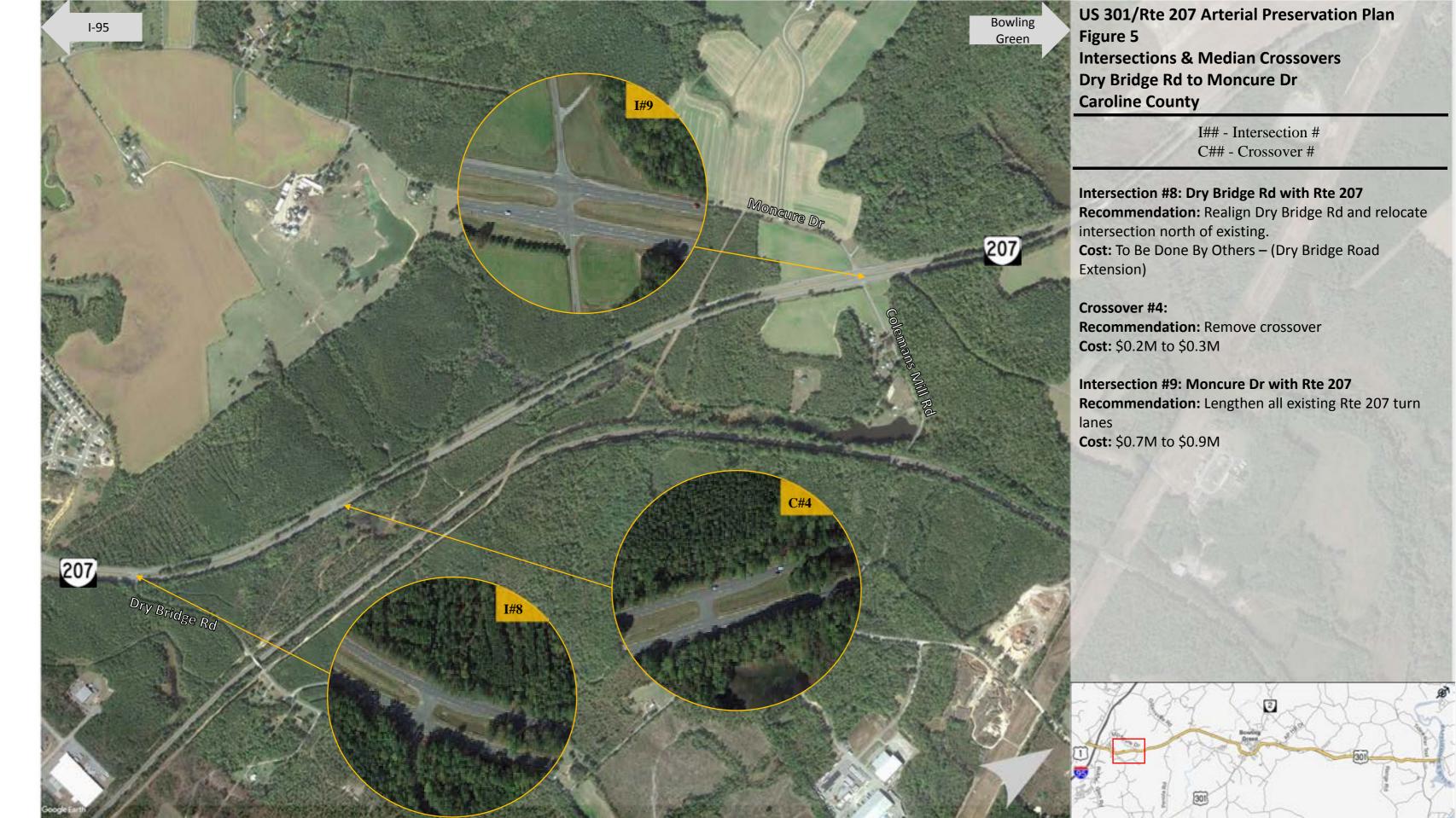
Continuous Green-T to accommodate Enterprise Pkwy -

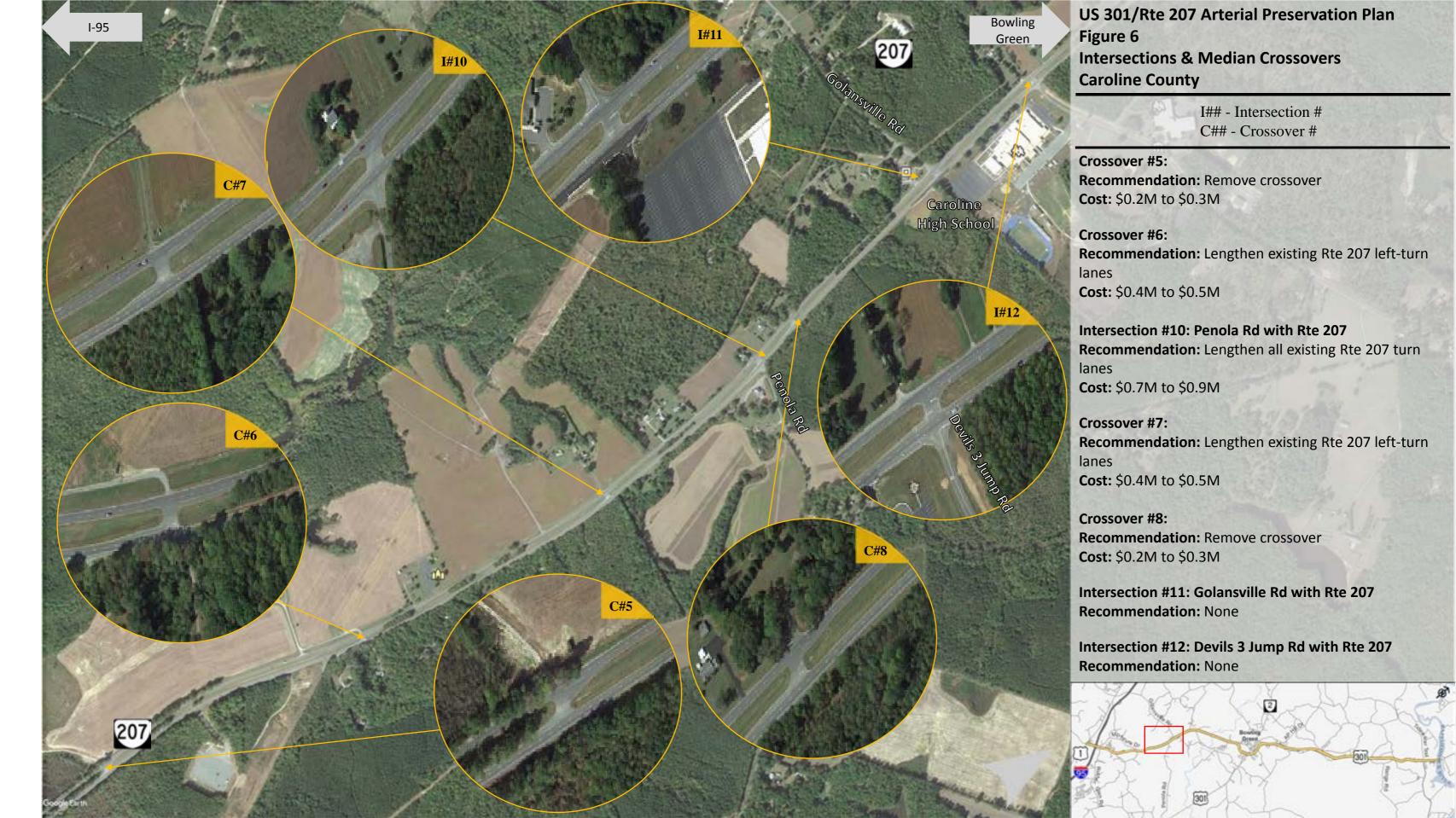
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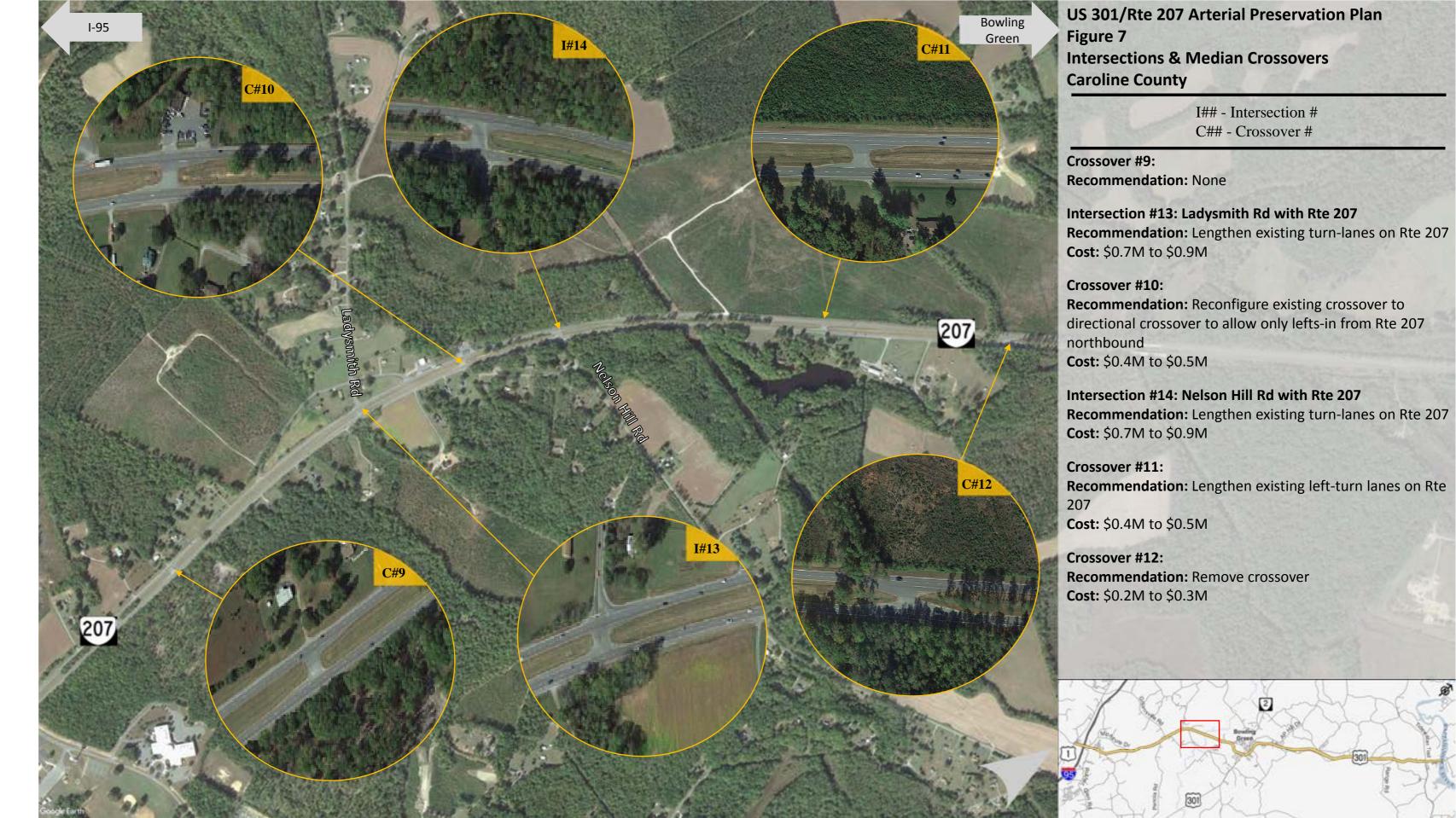
Cost: \$0.5M to \$0.8M













US 301/Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan Figure 8

Intersections & Median Crossovers Caroline County

> I## - Intersection # C## - Crossover #

Crossover #13:

Recommendation: Lengthen existing left-turn lanes on

Cost: \$0.4M to \$0.5M

Intersection #15: Colonial Rd with Rte 207

Recommendation: Lengthen existing left and right-turn

lanes on northbound Rte 207

Cost: \$0.5M to \$0.6M

Crossover #14:

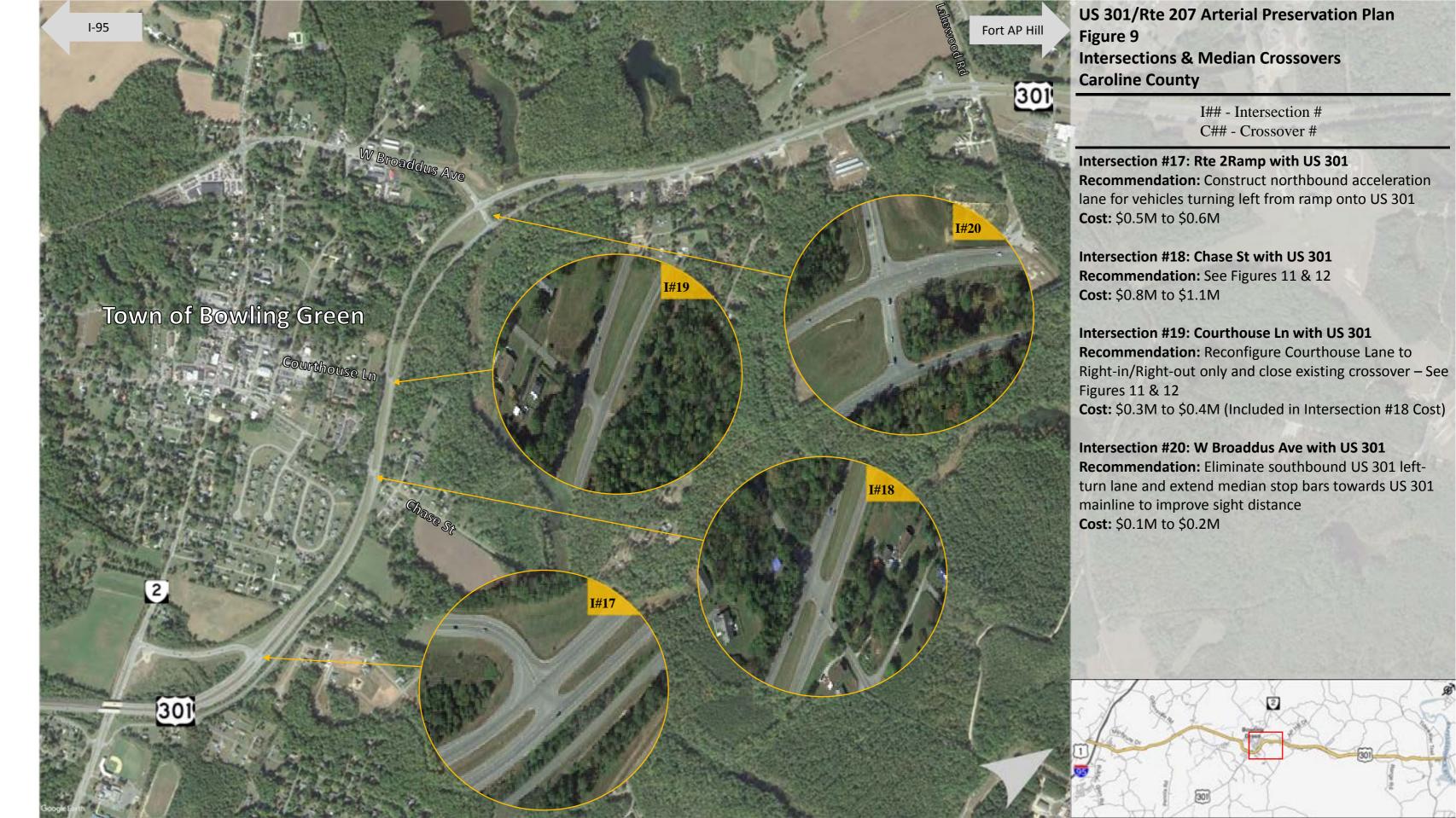
Recommendation: Modify crossover at intersection of Christmas Tree Ln and Rte 207 to a directional median to

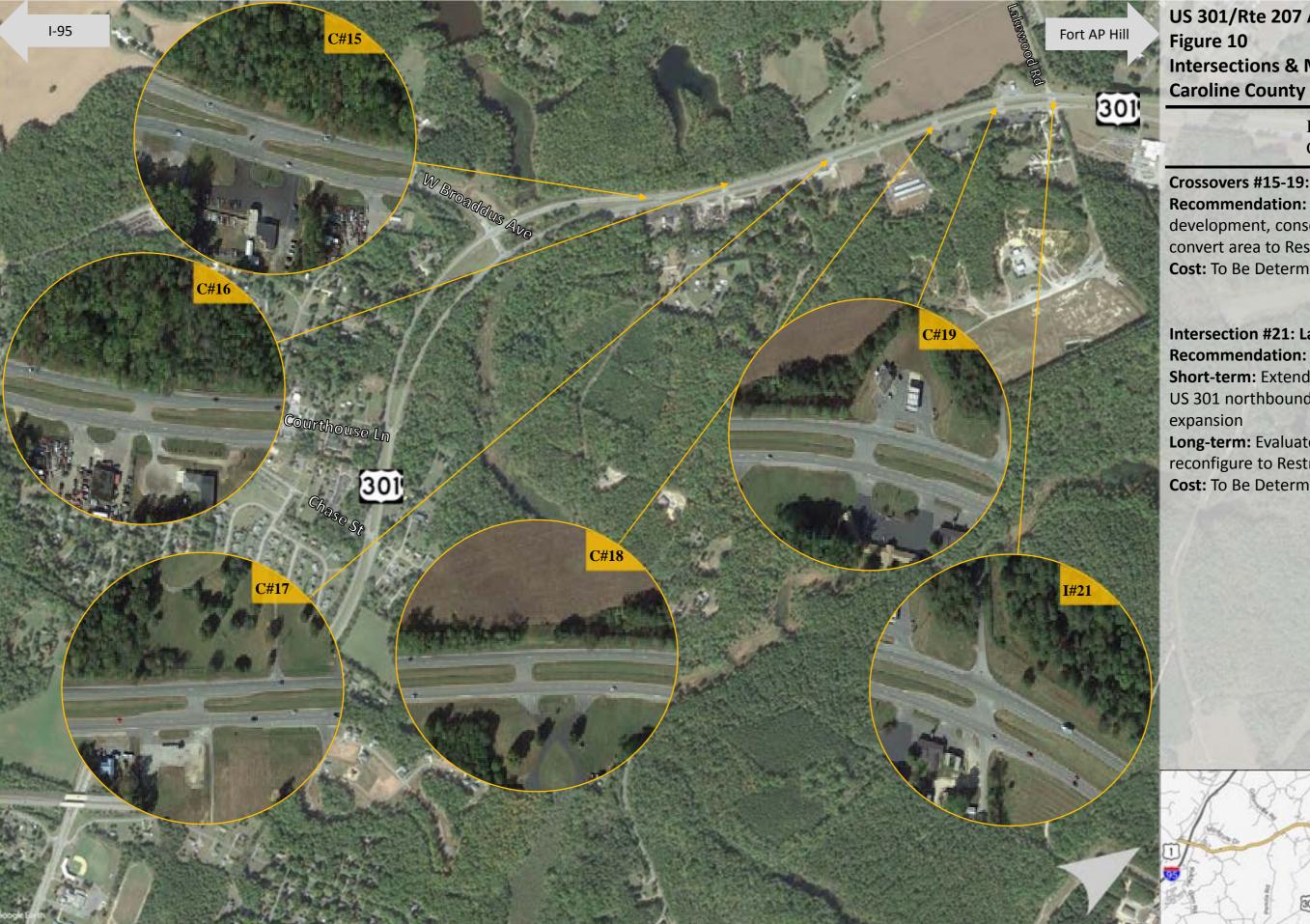
allow only lefts from southbound Rte 207

Cost: \$0.4M to \$0.5M

Intersection #16: W Broaddus Ave with Rte 207 **Recommendation:** Intersection should be evaluated

further as development occurs





US 301/Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan Figure 10 **Intersections & Median Crossovers**

I## - Intersection # C## - Crossover #

Crossovers #15-19:

Recommendation: Due to area designated for development, consolidate/remove crossovers and convert area to Restricted Crossing U-Turn Superstreet **Cost:** To Be Determined as Development Occurs

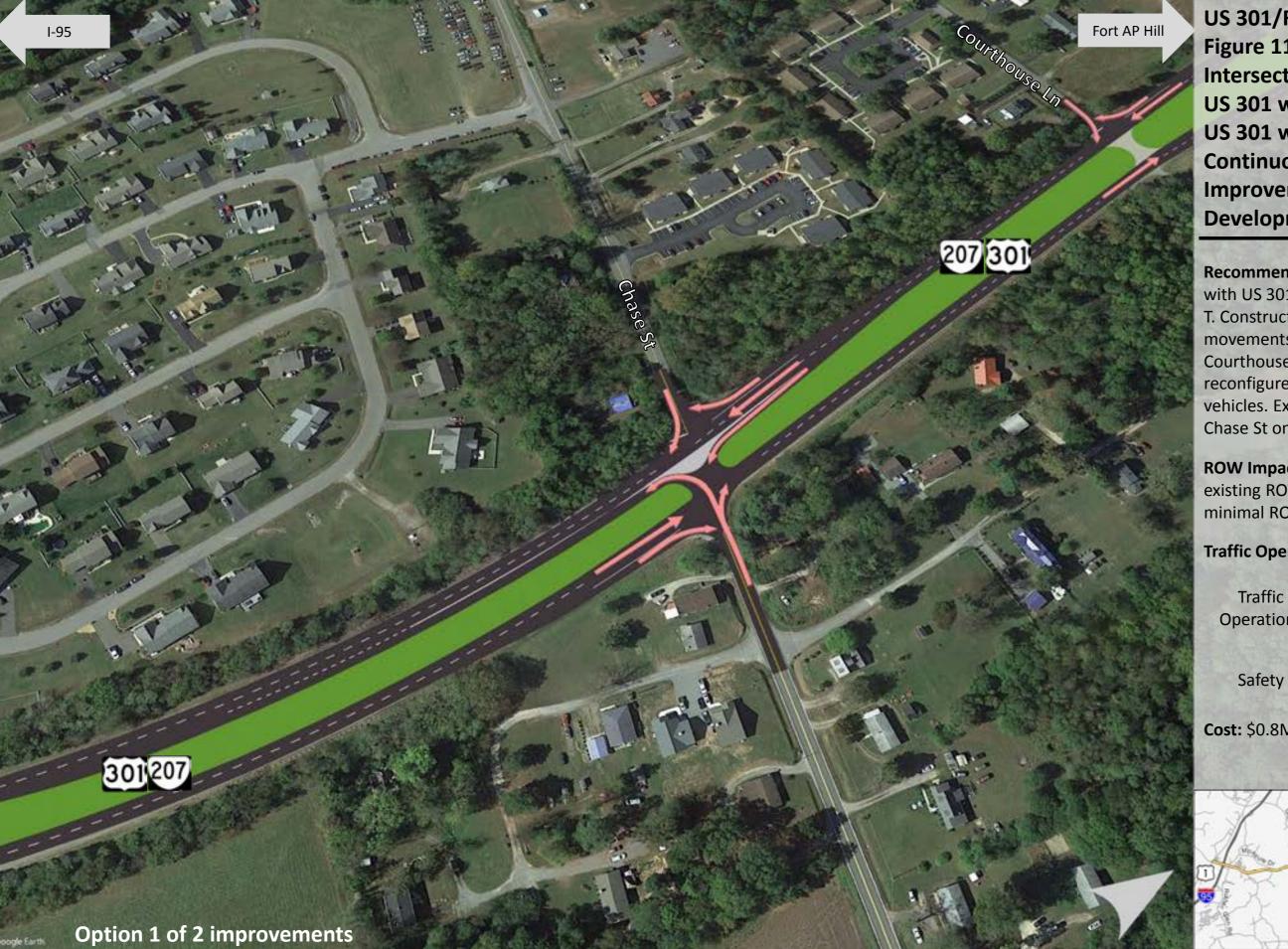
Intersection #21: Lakewood Rd with US 301 **Recommendation:**

Short-term: Extend US 301 existing turn-lanes. Evaluate US 301 northbound right-turn lane for future Army expansion

Long-term: Evaluate ongoing development and need to

reconfigure to Restricted Crossing U-Turn

Cost: To Be Determined as Development Occurs



US 301/Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan Figure 11 Intersection #19 & #20: US 301 with Chase St **US 301 with Courthouse Ln Continuous Green-T (CGT) Improvement Type: Economic Development, Safety**

Recommendation: Reconfigure intersection at Chase St with US 301 / Rte 207 to unsignalized continuous green-T. Construct acceleration lane for westbound left-turn movements onto southbound US 301 / Rte 207. Existing Courthouse Lane (Intersection #20) will be closed and reconfigured to traversable median for emergency vehicles. Existing right-turn lanes at Courthouse Ln and Chase St on US 301 / Rte 207 will be extended.

ROW Impacts: Acceleration lane and island are within existing ROW. Right-turn lane extensions will have minimal ROW impacts.

Traffic Operations & Safety:

Traffic **Operations**

Reduced delay times for vehicles traveling westbound onto US 301 / Rte

207 southbound

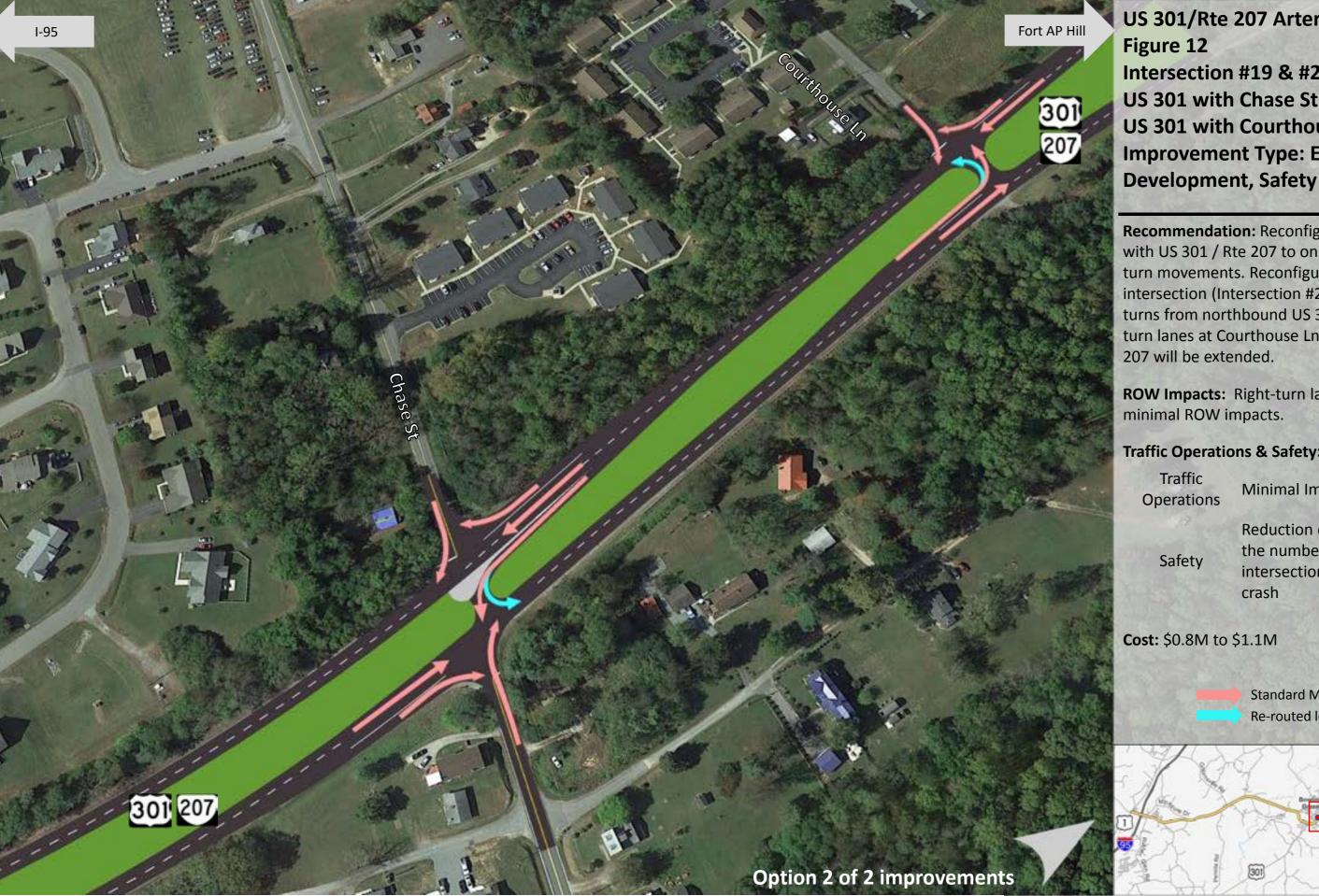
Channelization of left-turn vehicles from the side street reduces the

potential for angle crashes

Cost: \$0.8M to \$1.1M



Standard Movements



US 301/Rte 207 Arterial Preservation Plan Intersection #19 & #20: US 301 with Chase St **US 301 with Courthouse Ln Improvement Type: Economic**

Recommendation: Reconfigure intersection at Chase St with US 301 / Rte 207 to only permit southbound leftturn movements. Reconfigure Courthouse Lane intersection (Intersection #20) to permit lefts and Uturns from northbound US 301 / Rte 207. Existing rightturn lanes at Courthouse Ln and Chase St on US 301 / Rte

ROW Impacts: Right-turn lane extensions will have

Traffic Operations & Safety:

Minimal Improvements

Reduction of turn-movements reduce the number of conflict points at an intersection, thus reducing the risk of a

Standard Movements

Re-routed left turn movements

